OUTHERN STEEL PROPERTY WILL LIKELY BE SOLD

Order to That Effect Petitioned for in Birmingham Last Week.

William M. Nixon, receiver in Tennessee for the Southern Steel company. and A. W. Chambliss, attorney for same, returned yesterday from Birmingham, where they attended a meeting of the attorneys and trustees in bankruptey of the Southern Steel comto arrange a program for putting sinte to arrange a program for putting sinto on it and George picked up a rock and effect the reorganization plans of the threw it at the animal. It raised up company. At the meeting held in Bir-mingham, petition was filed in behalf of 90 per cent. of the creditors, both as to number and amount of indebtedness, asking for an order for the sale of the properties in Tennessee, Alabama and the time of this sale the representatives of the creditors who have gone into the plans for reorganization, will she noticed some object following her.

them into one corporation.

The referee will probably make the order of sale at the second meeting of the creditors which will be held Marca It will then require four weeks in which to advertise the sale before the property can be sold. This means that t will be about the middle of April before the reorganization can really be

Other creditors are coming into the arrangements for reorganization all the time. Indications are that all of them will enter into them. The only active opposition to the reorganization plan that has developed has come from one of the large ex-stockholders, George H. Schuler, of Gadsden, Ala. but now living in New Jersey. Mr. Schuler claims that the former stock-holders are not being dealt with as liberally as they should. He filed last week in New York a bill to enjoin the reorganization committee from carry-ing out its plans. No trouble of any moment is expected to result from these objections.

The reorganization committee all along has chiefly concerned itself to look out for the creditors, considering that they have the first claim. The principal thing desired by the commitlatter seem to be coming into the reorganization plan in fine shape. - Chattanooga Times, Feb.

Eastland.

e bave been in Simons b Ballard with a ball

was badly hurt but is getting along

very well at this time.

Well, "Uncle Blue," you said you knew me well. I can't place you just now. Yes, I know that if a man would not drink whiskey he would not get drunk. When the whiskey seller sells a man the stuff to drink be aids him in getting drunk and becomes an accessory to his downfall. I can't see where it would be harder on the laboring man for it to go ont of the state. The tax might be raised on the property owners and not the laboring man. One dollar is not much to pay in one year. I think that cheaper than paying \$3.75 or working five days a year, don't you. Yes, most of the men sent to represent the people in this late day young lawyers that don't know what the people need, but I think the representative sent from Marion counwill represent the people as a whole and not the few. He knows what the common people need, but then he can't do just what he would like to do unless he has help. According to your statement the T. C. I. Co is not under any obligations to help you. They gave you work and paid you for it. You broke yourself down, not them. I think there ought to be a law passed to regulate all differences between capitol and labor and not allow a strike or lockout, but when there is a strike or lockout there ought to be some reas-on for it. The lockout at Whitwell was uncalled for and forced the men to inaugurate a strike or abandon their union principles, and they could not

the strike was inaugurated. Well, I see where W. E. Kilgore is still eating chicken. He sure likes pany, and was seriously injured while

do that and do themselves justice, so

chicken, don't he. Work is slack up here this spring, but don't think it will be as dull as last year was.

e company is regaining the bouses and fencing, and that means no leaky houses and plenty of gardens. J. G.

The Lurid Glow of Doom.

of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had, for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doc tors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, seven bottles of Electric Bitters com-Pletely cured him. For Eruptions, Eczama, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c, Guaranteed by Whitwell Drug Co.

Thomas Brymer Won It.

WHITWELL, Tenn., March 1. - Shirley's Big Sale closed here Saturday with the drawing for the \$25.00 in gold offered to the one holding the ficket corresponding to the number Grawn. The number was 1549, and Brymer was tickled to find that he had the corresponding slip.

"HANT" STILL BUSY

Strange Animal Still Annoying Night Travelers.

VICTORIA, Tenn., March t.— While Dave and George Kilgore were returning Saturday night of last week from Eph Rogers they had an interview with the strange animal that is annoying night travellers. They were passing through a woodland belonging to Capt. Ellis, when Dave Kilgore no ticed a strange animal following him as he walked in the rear of George Kilgore. Both turned and faced it The object of the meeting was turning the light of their lanterns upcolor, and stood as high as the men. It then disappeared, and the Kilgore's lost no time in getting home.

Miss Lula Lamb a few days ago was Georgia. It is the supposition that at followed by some animal while on her days. buy in the various properties and form She screamed and ran till she reached a store, when the sterekeeper hearing her cries, came out to find the cause,

and the animal disappeared. Mrs. Nancy Copeland, who lives in English Cove on the mountain above Whitwell, also had a thrilling experience with the strange animal last week, which had the temerity to atbefore the reorganization can really be consummated. No active steps toward the operation of the plants will be taksomething beneath the porch of her She endeavored to get into the house but was attacked by something which sprang at her, almost knocking her down. She caught bold of the bannisters of the porch, which saved her from falling, and then managed to get into the house

S. L. Ketner, a prominent storekeeper of this place, is reported saying that he heard the cries of the strange animal one night last week.

Whatever it is the animal is keeping the people within doors at night, and children are so scared they are afraid to go to bed.

Stutz-Mahley. TRACY CITY, Tenn., Feb. 24.—
Miss Lena Mabley and Henry Stutz
were married last night at the Episcopet, written for the Gospel Trumpet tee was to satisfy the creditors. The pal Church. When Miss Lois Nearn, violinist, and Mrs. E. C. Norvell at the organ commenced the musical pro-gramme, the house was filled. The bride, to the tune of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, attended by her brother, came down the aisle, preceeded by the flower girls, Misses Elsie Marugg and Sarah Hines. Several ap-propriate selections were rendered by Miss Nearn and Mrs. Norvell and the vested choir participated in the service. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mahley. The groom is a prominent business man of Chattaneoga. Mrs. Stutz was gowned in white cloth trimmed with Irish pont lace with touches of satin. She carried bride's roses and her only ornament was a diamond brooch, presented by the groom.

Looney's Creek.

Special to the News,
Tom Defur, Charlie Holloway and Walter Hudson attended church at Whitwell Sunday night. Miss Martha Hudson visited Misses Lottie and Mary Ann Defur Sunday

There was a party at Mr. Holloway's Friday night and a large crowd attended and all had a nice time. Wonder what has become of Arthur and Jess Webb as I haven't seen them

in a long time. Henry Auderegg and Tom Defur went to Whitwell Sunday. Misses Mary Ann Defur visited Mrs.

Anderegg Tuesday evening. Arthur McCurry is still hanging his hat on J. D. Defur's hat rack.
Would like to hear from Victoria, as I have some friends down there.

Wonder what has become of Miss Icie Pitman. Would like to see her. Pink Rose.

Buried at Tracy.

TRACY CITY, Tenn., Feb 26. The remains of Sam Henley, who was killed in Memphis Wednesday afternoon by coming in contact with a live wire, arrived here this morning for burial. Mr. Henley was about 18 years old and the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Henley. He was employed by the Cumberlan's Telephone Comrepairing damaged wires at Mill aven-ne and Fifth street, Memphis.

RACE SUICIDE

is not nearly the menace to increase in population that deaths among infants are. Eight out of ten of these deaths are directly or indirectly caused by bowel troubles McGee's Baby Elixir was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, ach and all infant ailments of this nature. Just the thing for teething Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Sequatchie Supply Store.



The second secon

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days last week. The County Board of Education met Rev. T. P. Jimison, of Virginia,

Saturday in Jasper. Rev. A. D. Stewart, of Dunlap, vis-

ited here last week. George Shaw, of Richard City,

Tenn., was here last week. Tracy City, was here Saturday.

W. L. Johnson and family visited ing firm of Alley & Vann. friends in Dunlap last week for a few

Co., spent several days in Dunlap last father, J. D. Deakins.

Board of Education.

J. D. Kelly, who is ill.

Pittsburg a few days last week, being Pittsburg. the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook.

Saturday, and we were "proud" to see Whitwell.

Institute, was the guest of Miss Bessie tion as teacher in a city school at Ft. Patton, at South Pittsburg, few days Worth, Texas. We are glad to learn

Rev. M. A. Hunt, formerly of this place, but now located at St. Elmo, left last week for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter.

Eastland, Tenn.

Special to the News Will copy this interesting piece from the Gospel Trumpet for the benefit of tobacco users who take the Sequachee pet, written for the Gospel Trumpet by Edward N. Lydeck. "Would you believe that thousands of people smoke like it so well that it is almos. impossible to leave it alone. You have no need to be told what it is that so many people smoke and chew. Wherever we go we are almost sure to smell the odor of tobacco. Why is tobacco a poison. Because it has nicotine in it. Nicotine is one of the most deadly poisons known. If tobacco smoke is blown through a white cloth the spot where it went through will turn yel-By experiment a single drop of nicotine has killed a full grown cat in one minute. A tea made of tobacco and put on the skin has caused death in three hours. Soldiers have been known to shirk military duty by making themselves sick with a poultice of tobacco, which they had put under the arm or over the stomach. You must know, then, that it is hurtful to the health of those who use it. What harm does it do? Sooner or later it makes the heart beat faster, brings on certain kinds of indigestion and irritates the throat and lungs. It's effect upon nerves and brain is plainly evident. The poison of tobacco deadens their delicate parts. The old tobacco user is often cross, peevish and liable to fits of anger. Tobacco has an injurious effect upon the young people, it stunts the growth of the body and weakens the mind. No one should laugh at the pitiable sight of a boy made sick by his first smoke-there is nothing to laugh at. It is really the effect of a poison upon the delicate brain and nerves. Even after young people get used to tobacco they often suffer from indigestion, headache, loss of appetite, and a trembling of the muscles. The whole story in a few words is, "No person should ever use tobacco if he wishes to keep well, and is anxious to succeed in life." Do you wish to keep your mind active and alive to all that is good and useful? Do you wish to have clear ideas of things, and a vigerous will power? Certainly you Well, then, let tobacco in every form be for what it was made—a weed. It will dull your wits, impair your power to think and weaken your memory. God has given us good health as precious gift. We cannot be too thankful for it. How weak and foolish it is to be chained to any unwholesome habit, like that of smoking or chewing tobacco, which often spoils this great

Well, I suppose the Eastland boys have forgotten the scare they got last summer, when they came so near being endicted for playing ball on Sunday, as I see they have taken it up again. Boys, you are not only run ning over the laws of the state, but you are breaking the laws of God and trampling His word under your feet., and I see some boys that claimed salvation a short time ago into these Sunday ball games. Are you trying to lead sinners to Christ, or are you letting the sinners lead you down to the devil's darkest pits of hell? I think that some of the people who profess to be christians are too easy, they court the devil too much, and I think they should expose and fight him more.
R. L. C. F. B.

NOTICE.

I will be at Jasper on Monday of each week. All parties desiring dental work will please call at the Bughes House. I will be in Sequachee on the Friday nearest to 20th of the month. N. B. MOORE Dentist.

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Paul Stewart was in Dunlap a few P. M. Dickerson, of Richard City, was here last week.

> was here last week. Miss Katie Griffith visited friends in

Whitwell last week. Miss Lucile Crumbliss, of Kingston,

has been visiting here. Robt. Foster, of Lover's Leap, near Rev. J. W. Covington, of Middle Tennesce, has been visiting our town. Byron Pope, attorney-at-law, spent C. A. Vann was in Chattanooga last several days in Chattanooga this week. week, buying goods for the enterpris-

Graham Alley, of Charleston, West Virginia, has been visiting his child-W. H. Smith, of the Burnett Milling ren here, who are with their grand-

Well, what about that thar incorpor-Balem Long, of Victoria, was here ation? Sorter daid, baint it? It was Saturday to attend meeting of County too blooming big for this town, or elsethe town was too small for it.

Miss Maggie Lankester, is still in Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spears and Miss Chattanooga, visiting her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Alexander attended the ball given at the Kersey House last week Miss Helen Turner visited, in South by the society young men of South

J. J. Dykes, of Whitwell, was here Saturday to attend meeting of County Maj. Thom as H. Hill, the veteran Board of Education, and reports \$5,000 editor of the News, was on our streets raised for the new school building st

H. G. Simpson, formerly of this Miss McKenny, a teacher at Pryor place, we learn has an excellent posithat he is doing well, 'and drawing a much larger salary than is possible to be secured bere.

Mrs. Woodlee Pardoned.

TRACY CITY, Feb. 27.-Mrs. Jane Woodlee, of Grundy County, convict-ed in July 1908, of violating the fourmile law in three cases and fined \$87.50, has secured the clemency of Gov. Patterson. She was recommended for clemency by six of the jury, county officials and citizens. It was shown that she did not intend to violate the law. She is poor and has a feeble husband who work. The fines were remitted.

Charged With Burning.

The barn of Jeff Raulston was burnel at Battle Creek last week, with the loss of about \$2,600. Suspicion point-ed to a family by the name of Johnson living on the side of the mountain and Saturday Van Johnson was reported arrested for incendarism.



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Bank of Whitwell



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A L L are busy in springtime and summer, HENS but winter-laying must be BRED into a flock. Eggs from winter-layers \$2 per setting; two settings, \$3.50. My stock is pure bred White Plymouth Rocks. Let me supply your T. A. WILLIAMS, Jasper, Tenn.

ITEMS OF THE VALLEY

W. H. Wilson will build an opera house at South Pittsburg. Heavy rains at Dunlap converted that place last week into an American

B. B. Johnson, an exemplary young man, died in Sequatchie County Feb. Thos. Jarrett will erect a large liv-

ery stable at South Pittsburg of concrete construction.

burg tomorrow night in aid of the fire

of Winchester, officiating.

valley belonging to one of its prominent families.

J. M. Massengale, of South Pitts-burg, died at Sheffield, Ala., Feb. 22,

aged 70 years. He was a pioneer riverman, and piloted some of the first Ferry Sunday.
boats to ply the Tennessee. His reboats to ply the Tennessee. His remains were interred at New Hope, Ala., Elder R. O. Raulston officiating.

Christopher, III.

Special to the News. There was a wreck in the shaft at the North Mines last week and they didn't run any, so I went to Herrin, Ill., on a visit and had a good time with my friends. I wish I could live and never work any.

Harvey Turner and Pete Carter left yesterday for some part in the west where they will spend the summer. Jordan left Saturday for

Whitwell, Tenn. E. D. Gramer visited John Arledge Saturday night. John Lenard called at John Arledge's

walking this afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Will Cully visited Mrs. John Cully this afternoon.

Charlie Culley moved to Herrin Fri-Charlie Watts went to DuQuoin Sat Willie Watts went to Benton today

o see his lady love.

ALLEGED SEDUCTION

Of Grundy County Girl Leads Brother to Slay Supposed Dispoiler.

TRACY CITY, Tenn., Feb. 28.-Late yesterday afternoon near the settlement known as Thoughtful, about Nelson shot and killed Thomas Watson, who, Nelson alleges, seduced his sis-George Nelson his sister and Ye Olde Tyme Fiddler's Conventheir father, Thomas Nelson, are well tion" will be a feature at South Pitts- known regidents of that end of Grundy county. Watson was well regarded in the neighborhood. The alleged seduc-Miss Katharine Deitzen, of South tion is said to have occurred some Pittsburg, and Mr. Clifford Coffee, of time ago, and the young man, believ-Chattanooga, were married at South ing it to be true, secured his double-Pittsburg Feb 22, Rev. Fr. O'Hern. barrel shotgun yesterday and hunted up Watson. As soon as the men met Nel-Rev. Matthew Deakins Mansfield and Mrs. Mae Etta Whitaker were married at Fayetteville, Tenn., Feb. 24. The groom is well known in the arrested. Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. As soon as the men met Nelson discharged both barrels and Watson. arrested.

BROWN'S FERRY

Special to the News. R. J. Massey was visiting in Kelly's

ing in St., Elmo Tuesday. A. Tittle, of Rossville, Ga., was in our vicinity Sunday, Martha Marable called on Callia Massengale Sunday. Joe Hartman, of Kelly's Ferry, was

visiting R. J. Massey Sunday. Oscar Emery called on Emit Lawson Sunday. Charlie Foster called on Jeff Hartman Sunday afternoon.

Miss Georgia F. Emery was visiting her cousin, Osia Emery, Sunday.

Miss Lola Lusk was visiting Pearl Fryar in St. Elmo Sunday. Mack Brown, of Valdeau, called on J. F. Massey Sunday afternoon. Emit Lawson called on Marvin Em-

George Gositt went to Wauhatchie onight.

Clee Smith and best girl were out Sunday.

Mary Frank Boone called on Kate Fryar Sunday.
Miss Irene Emery called on Callie

Valley Bird.

Massengale Sunday.

A SWOLLEN JAW is not pretty nor pleasant. Whether it's caused by neuralgia, toothache or o see his lady love.

The East mines had a big fire last scident, Ballard's Snow Liniment will reduce the swelling and relieve Where is the writer from Benton, the pain. The great and sure cure for Come again.

Would like to see a letter from "Uncle Blue" every week. Old Black Joe.

Theumatism, cuts, burns, bruises,
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Sold by Sequatchie Supply Store.

The Doctor's First Question

"How are your bowels?" This is generally the first ques-tion the doctor asks. He knows what a sluggish liver means. He knows what a long list of distressing com-plaints result from constipation. He knows that headaches, bilious attacks, indigestion, impure blood, and general debility are often promptly relieved by a good liver pill. We wish you would talk with your own doctor about this subject. Ask him at the same time if he approves of Ayer's Pills. Do as he says. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Man